

Those Who Have Fallen Asleep, Part 1

Scripture: 4:13-14

Read 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

1.) The Identity of Those Who Have Fallen Asleep

"...to be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord." (2 Corinthians 5:8)

"...having a desire to depart and be with Christ, which is far better" (Philippians 1:23)

2.) Three Facts About the Future of Those Who Have Fallen Asleep

A.) The Future of Christians Who Have Died Can Be Known

B.) The Future of Christians Who Have Died is Profitable

"...God had mercy on him, and not only on him but on me also, lest I should have sorrow upon sorrow" (Philippians 2:27)

C.) The Future of Christians Who Have Died is Glorious